

# Cobb County Department of Transportation



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## Overview of Proposed Cobb County Transit Projects American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA)

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# Discussion Outline



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- Brief Overview of Cobb Community Transit (CCT)
- Cobb County ARRA Project Description
- Project Selection
- Job Creation



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# Brief Overview of CCT



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- CCT provides public transportation throughout Cobb and Downtown Atlanta that's safe, reliable and convenient!
- Express routes connect with MARTA Rail Stations and downtown employment centers
- Fleet Size - 120
  - 95 fixed route service buses
  - 25 Paratransit
- Free transfers between MARTA and CCT!



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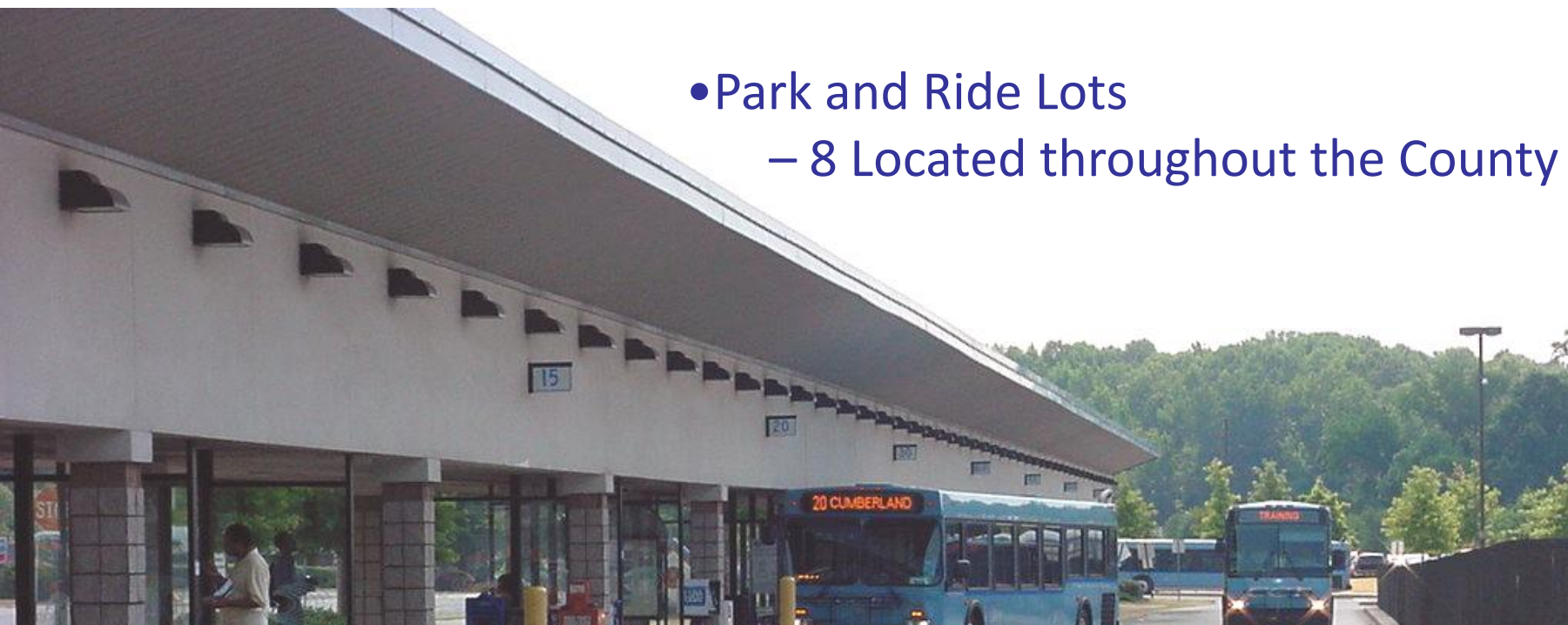
# CCT Existing Facilities



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- Admin / Maintenance facility
  - Located in Central Marietta
- Transfer Centers
  - Cumberland Mall
  - South Marietta Parkway
- Park and Ride Lots
  - 8 Located throughout the County

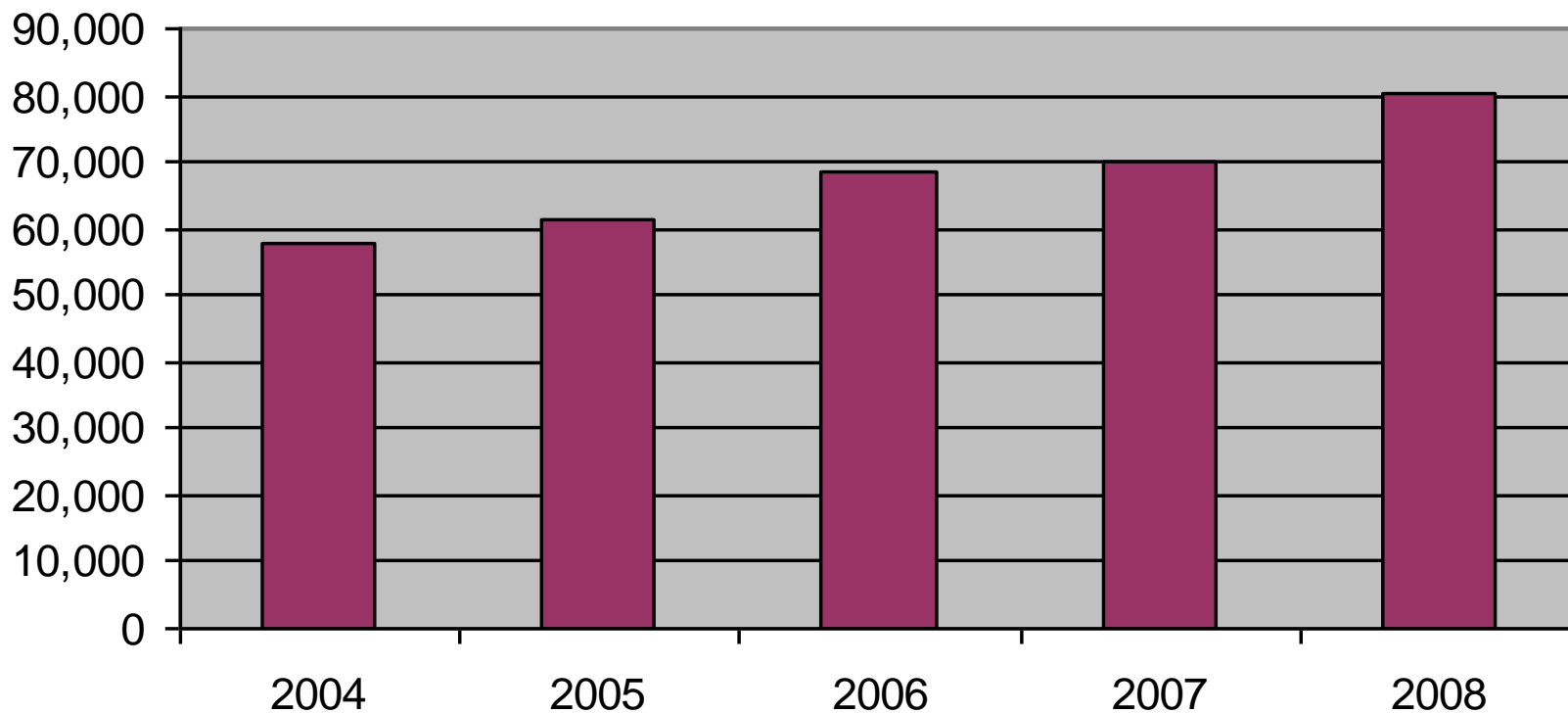


# Americans with Disabilities Program



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## Paratransit Ridership



# Fixed Route Service



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- Ridership Increases
- Fleet Expansion
- GRTA Express Program



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*Approximately \$9M*

- Primary use of funds
  - Facilities Upgrade/Expansion
- Other
  - ADA Paratransit Operations
  - Preventive Maintenance





# CCT Headquarters (Administrative / Operations / Maintenance)

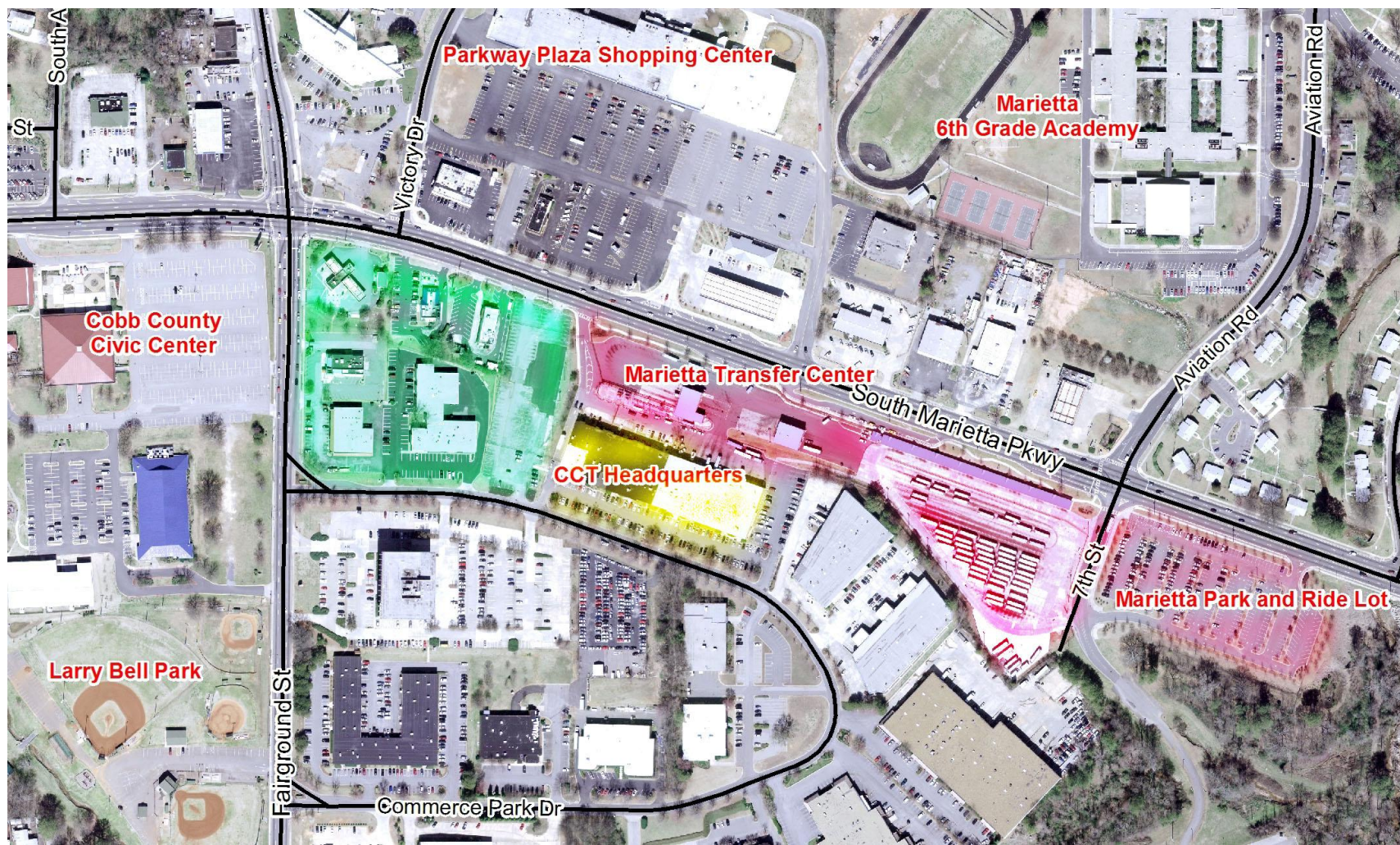


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Green = Future Growth Potential

Yellow = Current CCT Headquarters

Red = Current MTC



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# CCT New Paratransit Facility



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## *Proposed Schedule*

- Bid for Construction 2009
- Construction 2010



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# Why these Projects ?



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*Existing Project planned in phases over time because funding was not available for entire project*

- ✓ Need identified in prior studies
- ✓ Growth Pattern over the last decade
- ✓ Anticipation of future growth



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# Jobs Created



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## 252 Jobs

- Created or preserved\*
  - Construction trades
  - Real Estate
  - Transit Operations
  - Transit Maintenance



(\*Source: FTA Formula= 28 jobs per \$1 million spent)



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# Questions?

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